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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC: SHOPA, MELANIE J.

SUBJECT: /W - MELANIE J. SHOPA 12/11/59 MINN

1. FAMILY CONCERNED W/W OF MELANIE SHOPA. SHE HAS BEEN TRAVELING SINCE JUNE 16 AND WAS DUE TO RETURN U.S. ON APPX 8/1. FATHER RECEIVED CABLE 7/27 WHICH SAID SHE HAD BEEN ROBBED AND NEEDED FUNDS TO RETURN U.S. FATHER SENT FUNDS TO CHASE MANHATTAN BANK, ATHENS ON 7/28. WHEN MELANIE WAS OUT OF FUNDS, SHE WAS AIDED BY KARABAS FAMILY, 52 NORMAN ST. PATRAI. BELIEVE SHE WAS TO RETURN SOON AFTER /28 ON A RIT SH OVERSEAS AIRWAYS FLIGHT OUT OF LONDON. HOWEVER, MELANIE HAD MENTIONED HER DESIRE TO WORK AT BAILEY'S HOTEL, LONDON. DESCRIPTION: 5'6", 130 LBS, RED HAIR, HAZEL EYES.

2. DEPT REALIZES INFO INCOMPLETE AND APPRECIATES POSTS' EFFORTS TO LOCATE MELANIE. IF SUCCESSFUL, PLS REQUEST THAT SHE CALL HOME. IF UNABLE TO LOCATE PLS REPORT RESULTS OF EFFORTS VIA DIRECT RELAY TO MICHAEL SHOPA 448  
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3. PRIVACY ACT AUTHORIZATION REQUIRED IN CASES WHERE INFORMATION IS TO BE RELAYED TO INQUIRER BY DEPT. OR POST. AUTHORIZATION SHOULD BE INCLUDED AS A SEPARATE ITEM IN ANY REPORT TO THE DEPARTMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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